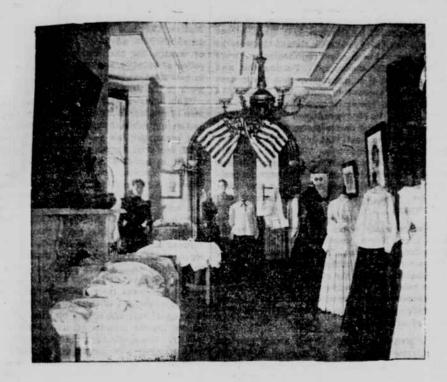
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#### DRESSMAKING DEPARTMENT IN PASCAL INSTITUTE.

Friday afternoon.

GRADUATING DRESSMAKERS.

ABLE NEEDLEWOMEN TURNED OUT BY

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Twelve graduates are to receive certificates of

ability, which will secure for them good positions in dressmaking establishments, thereby making

them independent, as well as helpful to their

parents or others dependent upon them. Those who

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The president, Miss Margaret P. Pascal, has found through the experience of the last year that the need of the teaching offered is great and the benefit incalculable. The success already achieved is most gratifying, she says, and the pupils have developed an aptness in many different branches of work.

All those who are interested in this philanthropic undertaking will receive full information about it by writing to Miss Margaret P. Pascal, at the institute, or to Mrs. S. S. Packard, the treasurer, No. 17 West Eighty-second-st.

Stephen Salisbury recently gave the Worcester

Woman's Club a plot of land containing 12.193 feet for the purpose of building its long-desired club-

house upon. It will be one of the three women's club

homes in Massachusetts. Mrs. Ella L. T. Baldwin is chairman of the committee. It is expected that the hall will be large enough to hold 750 persons. The building is to be thoroughly modern.

The Wor an's Press Club has elected Mme. Kath-

erine Evans von Klenner delegate and Mrs. Alice

Miss Helen Hosmer MacDonald, who recently

MRS. LESLIE MORGAN'S SCHOOL.

een held within the last few days is that of Mrs.

Leslie Morgan, Nos. 13 and 15 West Eighty-sixth-

st. On Tuesday afternoon the kindergarten and

primary departments of the school gave an inter-

ons, there was acted by Amy Baldwin, Muriel

Kelley and Marjorie Zucker the French fable "Les

Byram, Hilda Schullinger, Alida Clement, Ernestine

Sterck, Ethel Shaw, Helen Broadbent and Anna

The older pupils acted a Shakespeare medley, in

which Anna and Margaret Barkley, Gladys Stout, Irma Fried, Dorothy Gardner, Anita Hanna, Mar-

RUTGERS INSTITUTE EXERCISES.

At the First United Presbyterian Church, Thirty

Hanaford made an address and the Rev. William

N. Dunnell awarded the diplomas. Essays were given by Miss Elsie J. Anderson, Miss Eliza Jordan

Conner and Miss Clemence Louisa Graff. Miss

Sadle Knipe was the valedictorian. Recitations

were given by Jessie Fenton Hoyt, and music was

Miss Mary G. Youmans. All the young women who took part were members of the graduating

WILL CLOSE EARLY ON SATURDAYS.

During the months of June, July, August and September, the store of Arnold, Constable & Co., at

Broadway and Nineteenth-st., will close on Satur-days at 12 o'clock noon.

COMMENCEMENT HELD AT SHERRY'S.

Mrs. Gardner's school took place last evening, at

Sherry's. The ballroom was beautifully decorated.

and the graduating class was surrounded by lovely

Of the nine graduates two had been for eight

years etudents in the school. One of these is

Miss Adele Mason, daughter of E. S. Mason, pres-

Their exercises comprised a salutatory, a vale-

dictory and a French essay, interspersed with plano and vocal music given by Miss Nellie H. Knight and others. An address to the graduates was made

BISMARCK MIGNONETTE.

novelty of this season. It is derived from the popular Machet variety, which it surpasses in sev-

eral qualities. The spikes of flowers have at least

twice the strength of those of the Machet variety and are borne on strong stems furnished with leaves of a dark green. The flowers are of a reddish tint and are agreeably fragrant. The plant is stocky and correspondingly vigorous. It is claimed that for pot culture or cut flowers for bouquets this variety is superior to all others.

A new variety of mignonette called Bismarck is a

ident of the Bank of New-York.

The forty-first commencement of the Rev. Dr. and

ontributed by Miss Sally Frothingham Akers and

Thomas W. Anderson presided, the Rev. Phebe

Poulet et le Renard." "Schule im Kleinen" given in German, the performers being Mildred

der at the Waldorf-Astoria, has entered summer course of training with Mrs.

is Pascal Institute, at No. 576 Lexington-ave., which will hold its commencement exercises on

WHERE TO GO TO-DAY.

Meeting of the George Washington Memorial Associa-tion at Walderf-Astoria, 3 p. m. Commencement exercises of St. Mary's School, No. 8 East Forty-sixth-st., 10:30 a. m. Annual meeting and reception of the Ladies' Association of the Peabody Home for Aged Women, at Boston-ave, and One-hundred-and-seventy-ninth-st. 3 p.m. The Tremont-ave, trains on the Third-ave, elevated connect with the electric-cars for West Farms at the Tremont-ave, terminus.

Commencement exercises of the Misses Rayson's school in lecture hall, St. Andrew's Methodist Episcopal Church, West Seventy-sixth-st., between Columbus and Amsterdam avex, 11 a. m.

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Commencement exercises and decennial reunion of Mrs.
John Cunningham Hazen's school, at Peiham Manor,
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Joseph Golden, and Manor Manor,
Meeting of New-York County Woman Suffrage League
at No. 412 Ninth-ave. between Thirty-third and
Thirty-fourth sts. 8 p. m. Address by Mrs. Margaret
Holmes Bates. Annual election of officers. Vaudeville entertainment for benefit of Fresh Air Fund of the Five Points Mission at Berkeley Lyceum, 8

Organ recital in the Flatbush Reformed Dutch Church, Flatbush and Church aves, Brooklyn, 8:30 p. m. George Francis Morse, organist, assisted by Miss Marion Walker, soprano, and Gustav Dannreuther.

violinist.

Last session of the season of the Woman's Union Prayermeeting, of Harlem, at Second Collegiate Church,
Lenox-ave, and One-hundred-and-twenty-third-st.,
10:30 a.m. The Rev. James A. O'Connor will speak.

Meeting of the Governing Board of the General Federation of Women's Club at Philadelphia.

#### FROEBEL WORK REPORTED.

NEW-YORK STILL FAR BEHIND IN THE MATTER OF FREE KINDERGARTENS.

SIX SCHOOLS NOW RUNNING THAT ARE NOT SPECIALLY PROVIDED FOR-MORE MAY BE OPENED SOON.

The annual report of the New-York Kindergarten Association shows that there are six kindergartens in need of support, viz: No. 2, Avenue A. corner of Tenth-st; the Murray, No. 228 West Thirty-fifth-st.; the Woodstock, No. 96 Rivington-st; the Lowell, No. 280 Rivington-st.; the George William Curtis, No. 279 East Broadway, and the East Side. Seventy-sixth-st. and East River.

The kindergartens entirely supported by special contributions are the Lawyers, 196 Bleecker-st. New-York lawyers; the Marjorie, 257 West Twentyninth-st., Mr. and Mrs. John Townsend Williams; the Shaw Memorial, 61 Henry-st., Mrs. Francis G. Shaw; the McAlpin, 63 Second-st., D. H. Mc-Alpin: the John Winthrop Chanler Memorial, 207 East Sixteenth-st., Miss Chanler, Mrs. C. Temple Emmet and Mrs. John J. Chapman; the Francis Minturn Memorial, 220 East Twenty-third-st., Mrs. | made her New-York professional debut as a dra-Robert B. Minturn; Kindergarten No. 12, 295 Henry st., anonymous; the Auchmuty, 415 East Thir-Mrs. Richard T. Auchmuty; the Amity 312 West Fifty-fourth-st., collections made by Mrs Henry F. Dimock; the Neighborhood Club, 413 West Forty-sixth-st., the Neighborhood Club; Kinder-

garten No. 17, 141 East Thirty-fifth-st., anonymous. The report says: "The kindergarten gives strength to the body and definess to the hand by work, play, dances and songs. It stimulates the mind by at tracting the attention of each child, and fixing it upon that object to which nature has given it an inclination. It braces the mind by compelling it to inclination. It braces the mind by compelling it to prove its tasks by measurement, by numbers, by laying one square of paper upon another it unites the labor of mind and body by making the child do things, such as building a wall out of blocks. It lays the foundations of character, by encouraging the child to try and try again to do what it finds that do do, by helping it to keep its temper, by teaching it retinement of manners, and subordination of its own wishes to the wishes of the class. Kindergarten education is the beginning of all later technical training.

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"The kindergarten has a watchful eye upon the individuality of each child, believing that the development of the little private possession of originality is of incalculable value to it, and therefore

Beyond the children of the poor lie the homes of "Beyond the children of the poor lie the homes of the poor. The home is made by the children. Every year witness after witness comes out of some tenement-house to say how much the calimness, the gentieness, the efficiency of the child have added to the home, how converted energies once spent in mischief have turned foreboding of evil into assurances of good. "The kindergarten is not confined to the school-room. Excursions into the country for an hour, a day, a fortnight, are a necessary part of education of body, mind and soul. No baby should grow into a child, no child into a boy, without the help of nature.

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"New-Tork has the most crowded population in the civilized world; overcrowded public schools shut their doors on tens of thousands of children of kindergarten age.

"It is poorer in kindergartens than any other great American city. The beneficent effect of the kindergarten does not lie in theory. In the public school a child so educated can do two years' work in one."

The office of the association is at No. 29 West Forty-second-st. The officers are: President Hamilton W. Mable; first vice-president, Mrs. Douglas Riggs; second vice-president, Mrs. Henry Dwight Sedgwick, fr.: third vice-president, Prof. Nicholas Murrsy Butler; secretary, Rev. James M. Bruce; treasurer, Spencer Trask.

The executive committee is made up of Mrs. Henry B. Stillman, Dr. Charence C. Rice, Mrs. I. N. Phelps Stokes, Daniel S. Remsen and Mrs. Morris Loeb.

COMMENCEMENT AT THE CASTLE.

DISHOP POTTER ADDRESSES THE STUDENTS AT MISS MASON'S SCHOOL IN TARRYTOWN

Commencement exercises of the class of '99 of Miss Mason's School, the Castle, Tarrytown-on-the-Hudson, were held yesterday, beginning at 11:30 The Castle was prettily decorated for the affair, which was attended by a large number of

relatives and friends of the students. The diplomas were presented to the graduates by the principal. Miss C. E. Mason, after which Bishop Potter delivered an address. Following the address, the outdoor exercises, always an interesting feature of the Castle com-

mencement day, were held. The presentation of the trowel by the class of '99 to the class of '90 was made by Miss Adams, and Miss Leinbach responded for the class of next year. After the exercises

and others. An address to the graduates was made by the Rev. Dr. David James Burrell, and the Rev. Dr. Abbot E. Kittredge awarded the diplomas. A reception and dance was held later at the school, No. 607 Fifth-ave, when the graduates and postgraduates made their final adieus to their friends. To-day will see the exodus begin, and the halls of learning will be deserted by to-morrow. One of the students, Miss Eiste Waterhouse, starts immediately for her home in Honolulu. She is one of the first residents of Hawaii to take her school certificate as a citizen of the United States. Miss Waterhouse is a niece of Senator Waterhouse, who was here last summer and urged the annexation of the islands. She is an enthusiastic American, and leaves many friends to regret that Hawaii is so distant from New-York. made by Miss Adams, and anisa Jenusch responded for the class of next year. After the exercises luncheon was served.

The five graduates were Miss Estelle Adams, of Corinth, Miss; Miss Elizabeth Duer, of Fort Benton, Montana; Miss Adelaide M. Hart, of Korner, Carlsbad, Austria; Miss Elvira Lamb, of Toledo, Ohio, and Miss Smith.

The commencement exercises of Miss Bennett's nd Miss Smith. commencement exercises of Miss Bennett's in Irvington-on-the-Hudson, were also held

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DR. HOWE'S SERVICE TO GREECE.

HIS DAUGHTER EXPLAINS THAT HIS VOLUN-TEER WORK FOR LIBERTY LASTED FIVE YEARS.

To the Editor of The Tribune. Sir: Having read in to-day's Tribune your appreclative sketch of my dear mother, Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, I think it may interest your readers to know that Mrs. Howe's only living son, Professor Henry Marion Howe, is now a resident of New-York City, having accepted a year or so ago an appointment to the chair of metallurgy at Columbia College. Professor Howe is as well known in the scientific as his mother is in the literary world. His book on the metallurgy of iron and steel has brought him wide recognition in Europe, as well as in America. For this he has been awarded a prize of 2,500 francs by the Société d'Encouragement pour l'Industrie Nationale, of Paris; the Bessemer gold medal by the British Iron and Steel Institute of Great Brit-

the British Iron and Steel Institute of Great Britain; the great gold medal of the Verein zur Beförderung des Gewerbfleines, of Berlin, Germany, and the Elliott Cresson gold medal by the Franklin Institute, of Philadelphia. "The Metallurgy of Iron and Steel" has been translated into French and German, and is said to be the most exhaustive work in existence on any single metal.

Your correspondent speaks of the months spent by my honored father, the late Dr. Samuel Gridley Howe, in Greece during her war of independence. These months amounted to five years, during which he served in a variety of capacities from Surgeon-in-Chief of the Greek fleet to almoner of the supplies which he raised in America to feed the starving people of Greece. Finlay, the historian of the Greek Revolution, says that the supplies sent from this country and distributed under Dr. Howe's personal superintendence kept a large part of the peaceful population of Greece from actual starvation before the battle of Navarino ended the war, which had lasted seven years. which had lasted seven years.

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It is interesting to remember that, these supplies being threatened by brigands, Dr. Howe sent word to Captain Patterson of the frigate Constitution. That gailant officer brought "Old Ironsides" to the assistance of his compatriot, who was thus enabled to continue his mission of mercy to the starving Greeks, who learned to bless the name of America. Yours truly,

FLORENCE HOWE HALL.

#### FACTS CONCERNING SPIDERS.

WONDERFUL CHARACTERISTICS THAT MAKE THEM "COMELY CREATURES."

In these last days of the nineteenth century nothing, not even a spider, seems to be respected without a pedigree. Well, the little spiders can boast the highest distinction and one of the oldest gen-ealogies. Their great progenitress was that fayoung woman of Lydia who challenged the goddess Minerva to a spinning match, and was on the point of excelling her when the goddess flew into a rage, tore up her competitor's work, and atruck her on the forehead with a spoke of the wheel, which disgrace drove the young woman to despair, and she went and hanged herself. But even goddesses sometimes relent, and Minerva, in pity, turned her antagonist into a spider.

Any housewife who follows a broomstick in its peregrinations upstairs, downstairs and in my lady's chamber would naturally be inclined to think the spider a useless and even abhorrent creature. These insects are not useless, however, in the economy of nature. To begin with, some species of them are the food of many barbarous nations-the Blackfoot Indians and several tribes of the Southwest used them as such-and there is one specimen to be found in the Everglades of Florida which was not only eaten by the Indians, but esteemed by them as necessary to health on account of its me-dicinal properties. Travellers also say that they are eaten in Africa. An authority on the subject declares that the Bashie men consider them a dainty. inhabitants of New-Caledonia spend much of their time in roasting a large, long spider over the fire and eating it. Another use spiders are put to every

and ealing it. Another use spiders are put to every schoolboy with a pocket-knife knows, as well as did Shakespeare, who makes Bottom say: "Good Master Cobweb, if I cut my finger I will make bold with the."

Many efforts were made by Reamur, Bon, Kolt and other men of science to render the silk of spiders useful to man, but without avail. Lately, however, it is reported to have been tried with comparative success, and, as all things are possible for the future, the next century may see the spider industry a large one.

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the insect kingdom at all they did not not respects, but particularly in being pulmonary creatures, breathing with lungs, that, instead of being looked upon as insects, they are classed with mites and scorpions. Of all fighting animals the spider excels, the fights for the mere love of it, and the vanquished is always devoured by the

and the vanquished is always devoured by the victor.

Spiders have four, six, eight and ten eyes, according to their species, and it is only by the number and position of their eyes that they can be classified. The attempts to class them by their nests and habits have proved unsatisfactory. The most wonderful part of the little creature's body is that containing the "spinnerets," whence proceeds the silk. Some have four, others six, and some have them placed further in the abdomen than others. The silk is formed by a chemical process of the juices of the food, concoted in the natural laboratory, the large silk reservoir, and, as it condenses, passing into the smaller. It is used by the spider according to her wants. Each of the nipples has a thousand or more small tubes, called spinnerules, through which passes a thread. All these threads are united, at the creature's desire, into a large or small cable, composing a thread finer than Maddock the alternate to attend the New-York State Federation of Clubs that will meet at Rochester next fall. The following women were also elected by the club as fraternal delegates to the International Congress of Women in London: Mrs. Margaret W. Ravenhill, Mme. Katherine Evans von Klenner, Mrs. Emile D. Martin and Miss Jessie A. Fowler. ds are united, at the creature's desire, into a or small cable, composing a thread finer than human mechanism has yet had the power to ice. A scientific authority says that it takes million of these threads to make one as thick Among the schools whose closing exercises have

as a hair of the human head.

The ground spiders, which have not so much use for silk as those which spin on trees and walls, do not elaborate such an elastic material, but it is infinitely stronger. Some of them spin but little, and only then to line their nests and make their

Robert Browning is known to have had near his citing-desk a number of stulls, in which he al-wed various spiders to play and spin at will, and was Pindar's Susan who said:

"Strange that I've been so blind to form and feat-

I think a spider now a comely creature." Had Robert Bruce been as frightened of the little thing that climbed beside him as Miss Muffet was he would not have been revivified into the doer whose deeds have passed into history's most heroic



an estate said to be worth \$29,000. This was accumulated by telling fortunes. At one time Mme Chariler owned the larger part of the town of Roselle, N. J., where she carried on her business of

Mrs. Edna Maxwell's efforts to roise funds for carrying on the Florence Crittenton Mission have interested people all over the country. In a few months she collected over \$4,000 by carrying into class.

Ruigers Institute, which is the name under which in 1833 the school was founded, in Madison-st., became later Ruigers College. Upon removal from its home on Fifth-ave, opposite the reservoir, to No. 70 West Fifty-fifth-st, the first name was resumed, but the curriculum of the school is main-tained at the college standard. Mrs. James T. Hoyt is the present principal. the corridors and parlors of hotels her pleas for help from the great travelling public. She makes her petition in a unique way, by offering to shine boots, for which the fee is supposed to be exceedingly large, for the benefit of the mission work. Mrs. Maxwell herself says she has with her own hands shined shoes, but she has a company of professional bootblacks, who wear uniforms and do the work. In some of the Western cities the prominent women take so active an interest in this plan for helping on the mission work that they plan for helping on the mission work that they form a band of paironesses, who attend the shoe-shining exhibits. Mrs. Maxwell adds that the courtesy she has ever met with while making her appeals in all sorts of places and to all sorts of people is of the highest order, and great sympathy has been felt for the movement. Her mornings are devoted to study and the afternoons to directing classes in sewing, domestic science and housewifery for the mission girls. In the last year more than thirty thousand people were helped directly and indirectly, and many missions that were about to discontinue their work for tack of means were enabled to go on. were enabled to go on.

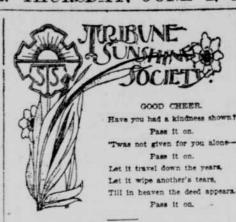
#### BETSY ROSS FUND GROWING.

The Betsy Ross Memorial Fund started with 10cent subscriptions three months ago has grown into \$3,000, and the association, which has for its object the preservation of the historic house where Betsy made the first "Old Glory" feels correspondingly sure of accomplishing its purpose. ed that by Flag Day, June 14, money enough have been contributed to make the purchase

The payment of 10 cents entitles the donor to be-

The payment of 10 cents entitles the donor to become a member of the American Flag House and
Betsy Ross Memorial Association. Each contributor receives a certificate of membership signed
by the officers of the association and bearing the
scal and certificate in the centre is artistically
portrayed the room in which Betsy Ross displayed
the first Stars and Stripes to the committee appointed by Congress, consisting of Washington,
Robert Morris and George Ross. Washington's
picture was copied from the original painting by
Rembrandt Peale. On the left of the certificate
is a picture of the old house as it stands to-day,
at No. 238 Arch-st. Philadelphia, while on the
right is a picture of the grave of Betsy Ross at
Mount Moriah Cemetery.

MRS. WILLARD TO SAIL JUNE 13. not take place until June 13 instead of May 20, as stated. Any one wishing to communicate with Mrs. Willard up to the time of her leaving may address her at No. & Clinton Place, New-York City. Mrs. Mary B. Willard's departure for Europe will



WITH BROOKLYN BRANCH NO. 5. The guests of Brooklyn Branch No. 5 of the T. S. S., of which Mrs. Nellie C. Furman is president, will long remember the hospitality and good cheer that greeted them yesterday afternoon.

The reception was held in the chapel of the First

Reformed Church, at Bedford-ave. and Clymer-st., Brooklyn, the Rev. Howard Wilbur Enness pastor. About two hundred members were present.

The President-General and Mrs. Furman pre-sented the guests to the Receiving Committee-Mrs. Theodore F. Seward, Mrs. M. M. Painter, Mrs. E. A. Tuttle, Mrs. W. L. Starr, Mrs. Sarah Harris and Mrs. Edward Addison Greeley.

The Rev. Mr. Enness, in his address of welcome, touched the universal principle of the so-

its work, but all members stood on one common ground of human brotherhood, and that the solety's mission to the world was one of gladness The musical numbers, by Miss Marguerite Whiting, soprano, of St. Bartholomew's Church, and Mrs. Georgianna Gooding, a T. S. S. member, were greatly enjoyed by the audience. Miss Whiting re-ceived the society badge in recognition of her

ciety when he said no creeds were represented in

hearts. The Rev. Dr. Pardington caused much merriment by his relation of humerous anecdotes in con nection with his joining the T. S. S., and gave several curious constructions that might be put upon

service of song, which brought sunshine to many

ts three initial letters.
Mrs. Jeannette Robinson Murphy delighted the people with her dialect stories and negro songs.

Mrs. Rebecca H. Seymour read an original poem
in honor of the President-General's birthday, and Mrs. Furman, in a graceful speech, presented a handsome gold T. S. S. badge to her, each ray of the sun being a line of diamonds. This was a birthday gift from the members of Branch No. 5. A beautiful bouquet was also presented to her by Mrs. E. P. Campbell. It was made up of lovely white and yellow flowers, tied with yellow ribbon.

A CHARMING GREETING FROM NEWARK. Another memento of goodwill came from the Home for Aged Women in Newark, N. J., and was given to the President-General by the New-Jersey State president, Mrs. W. L. Starr. It was an engrossed manuscript, and bore this charming greeting: "The residents of No. 225 Mount Pleas-ant-ave, members of the Newark branch of the T. S. S., send most cordial and loving greeting to the President-General of the T. S. S., wishing her many happy returns of this day, and a pleasant voyage and trip abroad, and a safe return to her ome and to all those who love her, to continue or work of sending sunshine to many hearts and

To the manuscript were appended the signatures of the well-wishers, whose ages range from sixty-five to one hundred years. They are as follows:

Mrs. Henrietta Doug-lass. Mrs. Dorothea Schock, Mrs. Sophie Kron, Ann Giles, Miss Roff, Mrs. Catherine Pessin-mer Catherine Pessin-Mrs. Ann Crane, Mrs. Ann Crane, Giles, Son, Giles, Son, Mrs. Catherine Evans, Mrs. Catherine Evans, Mrs. Catherine Evans, Mrs. Sarah Smith, McCulty, Mrs. Eleanor B. Lyon, Miss Fhia Hough, Miss M. Elizabeth Sco-

McCulty,
H. S. Potter,
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Charlotte Ward,
S. M. Clark,
L. R. Snow,
E. Wilkinson,
A. E. Nichols,
E. G. Downs,
Fannie Meeker,
Margaret M. Hol-Miss M. Elizabeth Sco-vill,
Mrs. Rhoda Whitehead,
Matilda Monti.
Hannah M. Weed,
Mrs. N. R. Howard,
Mrs. P. W. Connor,
Mrs. Emma Price,
Mrs. Louisa Taylor,
Nannie M. Connaugh-ton. Blinko, E. C. Billiko,
E. A. Quinlan,
Mary A. Woerd,
Miss Bowker,
L. de Moisure,
E. F. S. Dougherty,

ton,
Miss M. J. Ward,
Miss C. M. Gerding,
Mrs. Mary Fanshaw,
Mrs. L. M. G. Kanaga,
Marjorie Jerron. SUNSHINE FOR THE GUESTS. Mrs. Knapp gave to all present souvenir copies of

were the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Darlington, the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Pardington, Mrs. Joseph F. Knapp. State president of New-York, Mrs. Royal Gage, president of Brooklyn Branch No. 4 Mrs. J. F. Armstrong, president of Jersey City Branch No. 1; Armstrong, president of Jersey City Branch No. 1; Mrs. D. Van Winkle, president of Hackensack (N. J.) Branch. Theodere F. Seward, president of the "Don't Worry" Branch; Mr. Van Alstine and Mrs. Underhill, of New-York, Mrs. and Miss. Robotham, Mrs. J. W. Barlow, Mrs. Canfield, Miss. Hendricks and Mrs. Miller, of Newark, N. J.; Miss. Hendricks and Mrs. Miss. Edwin Knowles, Miss. Hendricks and Mrs. Mrs. Edwin Knowles, Miss. Brenton, of Jamaica; Mrs. Edwin Knowles, Miss. Andrea Adams, Mr. and Mrs. James Bullard, and Mrs. Thomas Hibbard, and Mrs. James Bullard, president of Brooklyn Branch No. 6, and her daughter, Miss. Sarah Bullard.

During the social half-hour that followed the programme an opportunity was given for old friends gramme an opportunity was given for old friends acquainted, and all united in declaring the afternoon one of unusual delight and enjoyment.

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE'S GUEST. The Sirdar, when he was in London, paid a visit Miss Florence Nightingale, and held a long con versation with her. The chief topic of their talk was the nursing of sick and disabled soldiers.

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IT FLOATS.

#### INCIDENTS IN SOCIETY. Christ Church, at Riverdale-on-the-Hudson, was

yesterday afternoon as scene of the marriage of Miss Carolyn Lydia Goodridge, the youngest daughter of Mrs. Frederic Goodridge, to John H. Iselin, the eldest son of Mrs. John H. Iselin. The interior of the pretty little church was decorated with clusters of white roses and lilles, and several varieties of white spring flowers set in a ground-work and frame of green. Only the immediate relatives and a limited number of intimate friends were invited to the coremony, which was performed by the Rev. Edward Goodridge, of Exeter, N. H., an uncle of the bride, assisted by the rector of the church, the Rev. J. W. Hegeman. Miss Goodridge, who was given away by her brother, Frederic Grosvenor Goodridge, wore a gown of white satin and point lace, with a veil of the same rich lace. Her eight-year-old niece, Miss Charlotte G. Wyeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Edward Wyeth, was the maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Miss Ethel M. Iselin, a sister of the bride-groom; Miss Sophie M. Goodridge, a cousin of the bride; Miss Emily Delafield and Miss Elizabeth Kilsyth Livingston.

They were attired in pretty costumes of pale green, trimmed with lace and frillings of chiffon. They also wore hats to match. Mr. Iselin, who was They also wore hats to match. Mr. Iselin, who was graduated from Harvard University, class of '98, was attended as best man by Henry Suydam Satteriee. The ushers were the bridegroom's brother, teriee. The ushers were the bridegroom's brother, Warburton Gouverneur, who changed his name to that of his mother, who was Miss Mary Philipse Gouverneur, Archibald Thatcher, of Boston, F. Laurence Lee, Austin Corbin, William S. Russell, William M. Benjamin and George S. Derby. After the ceremony the bridal party and guests were driven to Mrs. Goodridge's beautiful country home. Springhurst, at Riverdale, where a breakfast was served to those who came from the church, and later there was a reception for the many hundreds of guests who went up from town on two special trains from the Grand Central Station and large representations from Riverdale, Irvington, Hastings, Yonkers and Dobbs Ferry. The house was handsomely decorated. Rich and rare tapestries addred the great oak hallway, whose huge balustrades were not only hung with roses but decorated with the choicest flowers. Roses and beautiful spring flowers were used sparingly in dressing the drawing-roome, the hallways and the dining-room, which was added to the house a few years ago.

Two trains filled with guests for the city left the

Mrs. Knapp gave to all present souvenir copies of the poem "Charity," with music composed by herself.

A cordial vote of thanks was tendered to the Rev. Mr. Ennis for his courtesy in giving the use of the chapel for the reception.

Ten little sunshine members from the Orphan Asylum, Brooklyn Branch No. 4, dressed in neat gingham frocks, white pinafores and natty white caps, sang the sunshine song, and afterward assisted in passing refreshments.

Among the guests entertained by Branch No. 5, were the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Darlington, the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Parlington, Mrs. Joseph F. Knapp, Dr. and Mrs. Parlington, Mrs. Joseph F. Knapp, Dr. and Mrs. Parlington, Mrs. Joseph F. Knapp, Dr. and Mrs. President of New-York, Mrs. Royal Gage, Largedon to Brooklyn Branch No. 4, Mrs. J. Frederick Pierson, Miss Pierson, Mrs. Lewis Livingston Delafield, Miss Erving, Jr. Mrs. Lewis Livingston Delafield, Miss Erving, Jr. Mrs. Lewis Livingston Delafield, Miss Courch, Dr. ham, Mrs. Charles R. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Naturin Delafield, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Naturin Delafield, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dun Graham Mrs. D. Van Winkle, president of Hackensack Mrs. and Mrs. Maturin Delafield, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Naturin Delafield, Miss Erving, Jr. Mrs. Lewis Livingston Delafield, Miss Erving, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dun Graham Mrs. D. Van Winkle, president of Hackensack Mrs. and Mrs. Maturin Delafield, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Naturin Delafield, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dun Graham Mrs. Charles R. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Naturin Delafield, Miss Erving, Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Naturin Delafield, Miss Beckman, Mr. and Mrs. Maturin Delafield, Miss Erving, Mr. and Mrs. Naturin Delafield, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Naturin Delafield, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Naturin Delafield, Miss Erving, Mr. and Mrs. Naturin Delafield, Miss Erving, Mr. and Mrs. Naturin Delafield, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Naturin Delafield, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Naturin Delafield, Mr. and Mrs. Naturin Delafield, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Naturing Mrs. Maturin Delafield, J

The engagement is announced at Newport of Miss Emily Bruen, a niece of Mrs. Russell Forsyth, to loseph Clarke Hoppin, of Boston. Miss Bruen's parents, who have been dead several years, owned villa at Newport.

The passengers on the road coach Pioneer on its regular trip yesterday from the Holland House to the Casino at Ardsley-on-the-Hudson and return were Mr. and Mrs. Randolph St. George Walker, Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Montgomery, Miss Becker, Miss Crawford, Miss Norton, Miss Coley, Dr. J. A. Becker, Aiden Freeman, H. J. Bates and W. S. Barrett, Frederic Bronson was the whip.

Among the weddings scheduled for the day are those of Miss Florence Wickes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Wickes, to Oscar S. Flash, at Trinity Chapel; Miss Elizabeth Jordan, daughter and Mrs. Thomas Demilt Jordan, to Edward D. O'Brien, son of Justice O'Brien, of the Court of Appeals, at the Church of the Blessed Sacrament; Appeals, at the Church of the Biessed Sacrament; Miss Martha Swift, daughter of the late Dr. Samuel Swift, to George Hollister, et St. Thomas's Church, Mamaroneck: Miss Miriam Caskel, to G. M. Pollock, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Caskel, No. 1,129 Lexington-ave; Miss Fanny May, eldest daughter of the late Lewis May, to Myron Shaier, at the Temple Emanu-El, Fifth-ave, and Forty-third-st.: Miss Jennie Trumbull Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard K. Smith, to Irving Johnson Benjamin, at the home of the bride's parents, No. 218 West Seventy-ninth-st.: Miss Eleanor Schenck Parket, daughter of the late Joel Parker; to James L. Robertson, jr., at St. Andrew's Church, Yonkers, and Miss Edith L. Hard, daughter of George M. Hard, to Robert Osborne, at Grace Church, Nyack, N. Y. The marriage of Miss Teresa Cheesman, eldest

daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Hobart Cheesman, of No. West Ninety-fifth-st., to Hermann Francis Korthener will be solemnized this evening in the Church of Zion and St. Timothy, in West Fifty-Church of Zion and St. Timothy, in West Fifty-seventh-at. The Rev. Dr. Henry Lubeck, the rector, will perform the ceremony. The bridogroom will be attended by his cousin. John Ewen, of Spuyten Duyvil, as best man, and the bride by her sister, Florence Palmer Cheesman, as maid of honor. The flower girl will be little Dorothy Howland Cheesman, the bride's youngest sister, The ushers are to be William Sergeant, of Spuyten Duyvil, a cousin of the bridegroom; Henry F. Peake, Frederick P. Delgado, Fritz Strothman and Herbert Cheesman, a cousin of the bride. The wedding of Miss Esther King Suydam, daugh-

ter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crooke Suydam, to Raymond Stone, of the United States Navy, will be celebrated at St. John's Protestant Episcopal Churca, Elizabeth, N. J., on Saturday afternoon,

It is announced that the marriage of Miss Anetta Culp Earnshaw, who is head nurse in the Woman's College, in Philadelphia, to Dr. William F. Norris, of the well-known Philadelphia family of that name, will take place on Monday, June 12.

Miss Laura Thain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Miss Laura Than, will be married to Albert Bulke-ley Nichols, of Albany, this afternoon, at the home of her parents, No. 20 East Eighty-third-st, Only the immediate relatives will attend the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tully will close their house at No. 211 West One-hundred-and-thirty-first-st. to-day, and go to their summer home at Summit, N. J., where they intend to remain until about the last week in November. Mr. and Mrs. Braddin Hamilton, of this city, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stevenson, at Germantown, Pann,

Woru was received in this city of the marriage

yesterday at St. George's, Hanover Square, London, of Miss Grace Weaver Wells, daughter of Dr. George Weaver Wells, to William Talbot Perry, both of this city. The Rev. David Anderson off-

The wedding of Miss Estelle Sherwood to Frederic Bulkeley Hyde will take place at 5 o'clock one Wednesday afternoon, June 7, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Sherwood, Southport, Conn. The Rev. Frederick S. Hyde, father of the bridegroom, will perform the ceremony, assisted by the Rev. Edmund S. Guilbert, rector of Trinity Church, Southport.

### THE QUEEN AND THE COURT.

ANOTHER SMALL STEP MADE IN THE ROUGH ROYAL PROGRESS OF LAVINIA I.

The Queen of the Holland Dames was represented yesterday in a court not her own. Nor was it the court of another monarch, but a plain court of law, a court of the people, who will get in the way of sovereigns in this country.

Judge Hascall, sitting in Special Term of the City Court yesterday, heard counsel in a motion to set aside the judgment obtained by John A. Dempey for \$2,500 in two suits against his sister, Lavinta. Dempsey, otherwise and more widely known as "Queen Lavinia." The suits were brought by John-A. Dempsey, for himself and another brother, to obtain judgment for money alleged to have been borrowed by the defendant in the years 1897 and

Queen Lavinia was not present in court, but was Queen Lavinia was not present in court, but was represented by her counsel, Edwin S. Hunt. Inmoving to vacate the judgments, Mr. Hunt said that the summons and complaint in the actions were served on May 12, and that on May 18 verified answers were served upon the complainants attorneys. On the next day, May 19, answers were returned by the complainant that the notice was served too late, and on the following day plaintiff took judgment by default. The answer made to the summons and complaint, Mr. Hunt said, might not have reached the plaintiff until the 18th, but he said that the answer had been malled before midnight of the 18th.

Counsel for plaintiff opposed the motion, saying that the answer of defendant did not reach them until 1 p. m. of the 18th and in the meanwhile the proceeding to obtain judgment by default had been begun. Judge Hascall took the papers, reserving decision.

#### PRESERVATION OF MILK.

E. J. LEDERLE OF THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, THINKS SOME OMAHA DAIRYMEN USE FORMALDEHYDE.

The people of Omaha are stirred over the report that their dairymen are using a cheraical for the preservation of milk that is bought at \$3 a gallon and is known to the drug trade as preservaitne. Its composition seems to be a mystery, but some Omaha physicians say that it is a poison.

Ernst J. Lederle, consulting chemist of the New-York Health Department, said yesterday: "There are but four antiseptics that are ordinarily used to preserve milk-borax, boracle acid, salicylic acid, and formaldehyde. I have no doubt that the Health Board of Omaha will find their dairymen are using formaldehyde. Formaldehyde is made from methyl alcohol, and is a colorless gas. These from methyl alcohol, and is a colorless gas. These from methyl alcohol, and is a colorless gas. These are injurious, as they interfere with the digestive processes, and have a chemical reaction on all albuminous substances in the stomach, "The Sanitary Code prohibits the addition of any other substance to milk here." Ernst J. Lederle, consulting chemist of the

## L'ND FOR A CONEY ISLAND PARK.

PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVE MENTS AUTHORIZED TO ASCERTAIN THE COST OF WATER-FRONT FROM

BRIGHTON TO SEA GATE.

Controller Bird S. Coler yesterday made practically his first move in regard to the proposed scheme of a public park at Coney Island, when he introduced a esolution at the weekly meeting of the Board of Public Improvements referring to the matter. The resolution was as follows:

resolution was as follows:

Resolved, That the president of the Board of Public Improvements be hereby and is requested to report to the Beard of Public Improvements at a meeting to be held Wednesday. June 14, 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m., a tentative amendment to the mapor plan of the city of New-York which shall show a public park in that part of the Borough of Brook, and commonly designated as Coney Island, extending along the water-front of the Atlantic Ocean approximately from Sea Gate to Brighton Beach, and extending back from such water-front of the Atlantic ocean approximately from Sea Gate to Brighton Beach, and extending back from such water-front of the desirable, together with a statement of the assessed valuation of the property so included within the limits of said proposed park and an estimate of the cost of acquiring the same.

The resolution was unanimously adopted by the

The resolution was unanimously adopted by the Board without any discussion whatever, and the matter will now rest until the report is made on

The Controller, speaking of the matter after the meeting, was enthusiastic over the outlook. He said: "There is at present no way to restrict the Il-

meeting, was entingues and the said: There is at present no way to restrict the lilegitimate business that is being carried on down
there daily. If a park can be accomplished, the legitimate business could be still carried on, such as
merry-go-rounds and all classes of amusement of
that sort, and we could then cope with and eliminate vice. I wish to urge the churches, synagogues
and all other charitable institutions in the city to
help me in the work of securing the park.

The present assessment of the part that I propose to use is \$1.98,90, and the property-owners
are complaining that it is too high. I suppose that
as soon as the city shows a disposition to purchase
the property the owners will cry that the assessment is altogether too small. In the proposed park
are some charitable institutions. They need not
suffer in the least by the property becoming part
of that owned by the city. They would not be
compelled to move, and could be just the same as
they are at present. I estimate the cost of buying
the land and preparing a suitable place that can
really be called a park at from \$1.00,000 to \$5.00,000. It
will not take any further action in the matter until
the report is given at the Board of Public Improvements meeting, on June 14.

